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In re application of:	Chen, Zhijian J.		
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For:	A UBIQUITIN-DEPENDENT KINASE CAPABLE OF SITE-SPECIFIC PHOSPHORYLATION OF IKB-A		

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In response to the Office action mailed May 12, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.

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